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TAGS: CASC(DEMPSEY, JAMES FRANCIS)

SUBJECT: W/W JAMES FRANCIS DEMPSEY, AND CHILDREN

REF: LISBON 2204, 2097; STATE 82020

DEPARTMENT OF HEW AUTHORITIES HAVE CONSULTED WITH JAMES F. DEMPSEY WHO IN TURN WAS UNABLE TO RECEIVE ANY ASSISTANCE FROM DAUGHTER, MRS. BARBARA MULLEN. PLANS NOW UNDER WAY FOR HEW RECEPTION AND CARE OF CHILDREN. IN ORDER THAT U.S. LEGAL REQUIREMENTS BE MET FOLLOWING IS REQUIRED.

1. A MEDICAL HEALTH REPORT FOR EACH CHILD. THIS SHOULD INCLUDE FULL PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION, ANY KNOWN HANDICAPS; RECORD OF IMMUNIZATION, IMMUNITIES, MEDICATION, CHILDHOOD ILLNESSES, ETC.
2. A COPY OF THE DOCUMENTATION RELATING TO MOTHER'S SURRENDER OF HER RIGHTS TO CHILDREN. THIS NEED NOT BE ACQUIRED FROM MOTHER, IF COPIES OF PORTUGUESE COURT RECORDS ARE AVAILABLE.

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3. ALL THE FOREGOING REQUIREMENTS NEED NOT BE FORWARDED IN

ADVANCE, AND MAY BE HANDED TO RECEPTION OFFICIALS BY REQUIRED ESCORTING OFFICER UPON ARRIVAL IN U.S.

4. AS SOON AS ALL NECESSARY REQUIREMENTS ARE FULFILLED, EMBASSY WILL BE AUTHORIZED TO SEND CHILDREN. THE EMBASSY IS REMINDED TO GIVE A FEW DAYS PRIOR NOTICE OF DAYTIME AND NON-WEEKEND ETA AND ALSO IDENTITY OF ESCORT.

5. KINDNESS AND SENSITIVITY OF AMERICAN WOMEN'S CLUB OF LISBON IN OFFERING ASSISTANCE IS APPRECIATED. DEPARTMENT TAKING ITS CUE FROM HEW CANNOT ADVISE ON "WAY STATION" ARRANGEMENT. IT IS A MATTER FOR PORTUGUESE AUTHORITIES TO DECIDE, ALTHOUGH THERE ARE NO OBJECTIONS FROM THIS SIDE.

6. ADVISE ESTIMATED DOLLAR AMOUNT NEEDED FOR REPATRIATION.

7. IF TIME PERMITS, DEPARTMENT WILL SEEK SIGNATURE OF FATHER OR PROMISSORY NOTE PER 7 FAM 375.2-2D. OTHERWISE EMBASSY SHOULD FOLLOW PROVISIONS 7 FAM 375.2-2E. KISSINGER

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